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Dear Ned:

At my request, Robert R. Bowie, Director of the Center for International Affairs at Harvard University, has agreed to undertake a study and prepare a report for me seeking to define the major tasks for U.S. foreign policy over the coming decade and the priorities and guidelines they imply for current and future actions and decisions. He plans to complete the report in about six months.

While the report will represent his own analysis and conclusions, I hope that in preparing it he can have the benefit of relevant studies and thinking within the Government, and especially of your Agency.

I will greatly appreciate your help in making this possible. He will be in touch with you within the next few weeks.

With warm regards,

Sincerely,

/s/ Dean

Dean Rusk

Admiral W. F. Raborn,
Director,
Central Intelligence Agency.

State Dept. review completed